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The reply filed on August 10, 2005 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s):

Applicants elected SEQ ID NO: 20 for Protein A. This sequence is a nucleic acid sequence and not an amino acid sequence. Also, SEQ ID NO: 20 is not claimed, and nor was it offered as a choice for a sequence for Protein A in the restriction requirement. Applicants elected SEQ ID NO: 57 for Protein C. This sequence is a nucleic acid sequence and not an amino acid sequence. It was noted in the restriction requirement that amino acid and nucleic acid sequences were mixed up in the sequence listing, and the restriction stated that "Applicants may wish to check their SEQ ID NOs to insure that appropriate amino acid sequences are being claimed, and searched upon examination". In their response, Applicants noted that SEQ ID NO: 21 and NO: 57 are combined DNA and amino acid sequences. This is true for the paper copy of the sequence listing; however, the computer readable form has one sequence per sequence identification number. See 37 CFR 1.111.

Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be bona fide, applicant is given ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Karen Cochrane Carlson, Ph.D. whose telephone number is 571-272-0946. The examiner can normally be reached on 7:00 AM - 4:00 PM, off alternate Fridays.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Dr. Jon Weber can be reached on 571-272-0925. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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